

# Education and Lifelong Learning Committee

## Agenda ELL2 09-05

**Meeting date: Wednesday 21 September 2005**

**Meeting time: 9:00am-12:30pm**

**Meeting venue: Committee Room 3 & 4, National Assembly for Wales**

**Item 1: Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declaration of interests (9:00am-9:05am)**

**Item 2: Minister's Report (9:05am-9:50am)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To receive a report from the Minister for Education and Lifelong Learning
<b>Paper:</b>	ELL2-09-05(p.1)
<b>In attendance:</b>	Richard Davies, Group Director, Department for Training and Education (throughout)

**Item 3: Centre for Information on Language Teaching (CILT) Cymru (9:50am-10:35am)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To receive a progress update on the implementation of the Welsh Assembly Government's Modern Foreign Languages Strategy "Languages Count" and to learn more about the work of CILT Cymru in supporting language teaching.
<b>Paper:</b>	ELL2 09-05(p.2) and Annexes
<b>In attendance:</b>	Ceri James – Director CILT Cymru

**Item 4: Scrutiny of Secondary Legislation - (10:35-11:05am)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	<p>To consider the following draft regulations:  The National Council for Education and Training for Wales (Transfer of Functions to the National Assembly for Wales and Abolition) Order 2005 (ELL-36-05)</p> <p>The Qualifications, Curriculum and Assessment Authority for Wales (Transfer of functions to the National Assembly for Wales and Abolition) Order. (ELL-41-05)</p> <p>To consider a motion from Peter Black AM (paper ELL2 09-05(p.9))</p>
<b>Papers:</b>	ELL2 09-05(p.3) and (p.4) and additional paper: (p.9)
<b>In attendance:</b>	<p>Keith Davies - Head of Standards and Performance Division, Assembly Government.</p> <p>Neil Thomas – Head of Lifelong Learning Division, Assembly Government.</p> <p>Helen Lentle – Assistant Director of Legal Services, Assembly Government.</p>

### **Break (11:05-11:20am)**

### **Item 5: Policy Review - Special Educational Needs (Part 2) - Oral Evidence Baroness Warnock of Weeke - (11:20am-12:20pm)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To gather evidence for the review of statementing and the statutory assessment framework
<b>In attendance:</b>	Baroness Warnock of Weeke.

### **Item 6: Secondary Legislation Forward Look (12:20 – 12:25pm)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To identify any items of secondary legislation for scrutiny
<b>Papers:</b>	ELL2-07-05(p.5)

### **Item 7: Minutes of Previous Meeting (12:25 – 12:30pm)**

<b>Purpose:</b>	To ratify the minutes of 29 June meeting.
<b>Papers:</b>	ELL2-08-05(mins)

**Papers to note:**

Note of Committee's Fact-Finding Visit to Scotland in Respect of the SEN Review (Part 2)

Paper: ELL2-09-05(p.6)

Note of Rapporteur Group Scrutiny Visit to ACCAC

Paper: ELL2-09-05(p.7)

Letter to Chair from Chair of Legislation Committee re "the Education (Induction Arrangements for School Teachers) (Wales) Regulations 2005".

Paper: ELL2-09-05(p.8)